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BRITISH DESTROYER WAS BADLY DAMAGED

Happened In Engagement With Germans On Belgian Coast. Germany Has Written New Note on Sussex, Claiming Responsibility and Promising Reparation.

(By Associated Press)
Berlin, May 10.—A British destroyer was badly damaged off the Belgian coast Monday in an engagement between German and British torpedo boats. It has been officially announced.

Germany Sends New Note.
(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 10.—Germany has handed Ambassador Gerard a new note on the Sussex case, according to Secretary of State Lansing, and it is now on the way to Washington. It indicates Germany now admits the Sussex attack and gives notice that the submarine commander will be punished, and promises reparation.

Fighting Diminishes.

(By Associated Press)
Paris, May 10.—Activity in the Verdun region is diminishing, following the desperate fighting of the past few days. It is officially announced. On both sides of the Meuse the artillery fighting has slackened, while east of the Meuse it is only intermittent. The German attacks near Moulain and Soudoutvent were completely checked.

Praises Washington.
(By Associated Press)
Paris, May 10.—Great prominence was given this morning by the papers to the latest American note to Germany, which was characterized as a "masterpiece of diplomacy." The Matin says Germany suffered an unprecedented diplomatic defeat.

German Casualties.
(By Associated Press)
London, May 10.—The official British estimate of German casualties for April places the total at more than ninety-one thousand. It shows since the beginning of the war the German casualties are two million, eight hundred thousand.

Baron Resigned.
(By Associated Press)
London, May 10.—Baron Wimborne, lord lieutenant of Ireland, has resigned.

No Americans on Cymbric.
(By Associated Press)
London, May 10.—The American consul at Queenstown telegraphs the embassy here announcing definitely there were no Americans on the Cymbric. He says the ship was unarmed and was torpedoed without warning.

MOBILIZING FOR DUTY ON MEXICAN BORDER

Remainder of Troops in United States Being Mobilized Hurriedly For Service on The Mexican Border. The Militia of The Three States Ordered Out Began Moving Today. Texas Troops Will Concentrate At Ft. Sam Houston. Forty University of Texas Students Enlisted. Ramos That A Large Carranza Force Had Attacked Gen. Pershings Rear Guard Proved to Be Untrue.

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 10.—Virtually the last of the American troops in the United States are mobilizing today for duty on the Mexican border under hurry orders. The Arizona, New Mexico and Texas militia will begin to move to the mobilization camps during the day, the Texans concentrating at Fort Sam Houston. The proposed military agreement between Scott and Obregon is still unsigned. They will probably meet again today.

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ENLIST.

(By Associated Press)
Austin, Texas, May 10.—Adjutant General Hutchings announced today that all the Texas militia had been ordered to report at Fort Sam Houston during daylight, preferably Thursday forenoon. The movement will begin in earnest tonight. Five hundred left Dallas at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Forty students of the University of Texas enlisted early today and many more are endeavoring to join the militia.

Troops Reach Border.
(By Associated Press)
Marathon, Texas, May 10.—An eighth cavalry detachment reached the Mexican border today to protect against Bid Bend bandits. Two troops of the Fourteenth are rapidly approaching the border. There is no news from that district.

Funston Still at El Paso.
(By Associated Press)
El Paso, Texas, May 10.—General Funston stated this afternoon he had no idea when he would return to San Antonio, which is taken to indicate this afternoon's conference with Obregon may not be the last. Obregon.

Germans Claim Progress.
(By Associated Press)
Berlin, May 10.—The Germans made further progress at Hill 304 on the Verdun front, driving the French southwest of the Hill, the war office says.

gon and his advisers are reported optimistic regarding the outcome.

Pershing to Concentrate.
(By Associated Press)
El Paso, Texas, May 10.—General Pershing has been ordered to begin a greater concentration of his troops. The detachments still operating as far south as San Antonio will be withdrawn to Colonia Dublan, it was announced here.

New Proposals.
(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 10.—Obregon will submit new proposals at the Scott conference this afternoon, according to Secretary of War Baker. Scott did not advise Secretary Baker what these will be. It is understood Scott will not give an inch from his previous stand.

Ammunition Captured.
(By Associated Press)
Laredo, Texas, May 10.—A million rounds of rifle ammunition which the Mexicans were attempting to smuggle across the line was captured by American troops last night.

Wild Rumors Unfounded.
(By Associated Press)
Columbus, N. M., May 10.—Rumors current last night that thirty-five hundred Carranzistas had attacked General Pershing's rear guard, causing much uneasiness here, were set at rest this morning by Captain Dodd of the army aero corps, who flew 75 miles to the west of Columbus, reporting all quiet along the American line.

PRESIDENT WILSON TO REMAIN ON JOB

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 10.—President Wilson has decided, because of the critical international situation that now confronts the nation, to remain constantly in Washington the next few weeks.

BRANDIES PROBE TO BE REOPENED

(By Associated Press)
Washington, May 10.—The reopening of the public hearing on the nomination of Louis Brandies to the Supreme Court was ordered by the senate judiciary committee today in connection with the proposed merger several years ago of the United Cigar Stores Company.

NEW BUILDINGS BEING CONSTRUCTED

A force of workmen, after constructing a temporary wall just inside the old walls on the front and north side of the Danby Building, on Main Street, which is occupied by Philip Hermer, the dry goods man, started work today tearing down the old walls and when this work is completed a heavy fire wall will replace the old wall between the Danby Building and the new Sebesta Building, which is to occupy the corner. A new and modern front will replace the old front being torn away. This shows the stride of improvement which is continuously going on in Bryan.

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H. L. MCKNIGHT SPOKE IN PALESTINE

On Motion of Mayor Speech Ordered Printed and a Copy Sent to Every Farmer.

Probably a hundred or more of Anderson County's most progressive farmers were here today, guests of local business men at a luncheon at the Redlands hotel from 12 to 2:30 o'clock. The object of the meeting and luncheon was to get the people of the town and county together and discuss the advisability of bringing a farmers' short course to this county the last week in June.

Hon. W. C. Campbell was toastmaster and also made a good talk on harmonizing the interests of the town and country, and his remarks were to the point and were fully appreciated.

The toastmaster then introduced H. L. McKnight of the extension department of the A. & M. College, who explained the ideas involved in the short course program, and who also spoke of the relations of the farmers to the towns and to the work the A. & M. is doing. Mr. McKnight is not an orator; he does not need to be. The man who really has a message just needs to deliver his message. And Mr. McKnight certainly has a message and knows how to make it effective. He knows exactly what he is talking about. He doesn't lose a lot of time sympathizing with the "poor down-trodden farmer," for the simple reason, we are sure, that he does not believe there is any such thing. But his message is optimistic and helpful, and full of inspiration.

It is planned to have a five days' short course, giving one day to each of five county communities. And from the interest indicated today by the men present it is going to be exceedingly hard to decide on any particular five communities.

A number of other gentlemen spoke on relative subjects, but the lateness of the hour prevents a more detailed report of the meeting at this time.—Palestine Herald.

At the close of Mr. McKnight's address the mayor of Palestine, Mr. Geo. A. Wright, made a motion, and the same carried, that the speech be printed in full and mailed to every farmer in the county.

CATHOLIC MISSION AWAKENS INTEREST

Father Ross Presents Strong and Logical Sermons—Answers Questions of All Interested.

A large congregation was in attendance at the mission given at St. Joseph's Church last night. The sermon by Father Ross on "The Church and Personal Religion" was undoubtedly the best heard since the mission was started. Father Ross makes a specialty of answering all questions that are given him in regard to the Catholic religion and the question box contains quite a number of them every night.

Promptly at 7:45 tonight Father Ross will speak on "The Church and Confession," and no doubt a large crowd will be in attendance. If you wish to find out what your Catholic friends and neighbors believe, attend these lectures which will be given each evening all this week.

BRAZIL MAKES DEMAND ON GERMANY

Brazilian overnment Wants Pay For Loss of Ship Rio Branco—Press Very Indignant.

(By Associated Press)
Rio Janeiro, May 10.—Grazzi will want indemnity from Germany for sinking the Brazilian steamer Rio Branco by a German submarine. Great indignation is still shown by the Brazilian press, which demands energetic action.

ANOTHER MURDERER GETS LIFE TERM

(By Associated Press)
Abilene, Texas, May 10.—Claude Dearman was given ninety-nine years in the penitentiary this morning. He was convicted of killing Charles Crown at Potosi.

GUN TOTER ARRESTED.

Constable Lee Josey of Benchley last night arrested a negro at that place who was stealing a ride on a coal car on the H. & T. C. railroad. The constable brought him here and lodged him in the county jail. He had a big six-shooter.

Bad teeth handicap children? Insufficient sleep endangers health?

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